

CLERK'S ALERT

Cases Assigned to Department 7 – Judge Prochnau

Judge Prochnau is retiring from the bench effective **March 1, 2015**. Until the Governor names a replacement to Department 7, her civil and family caseload will be managed by Judge Spearman's court, with the exception of any sexually violent predator (SVP) cases. Parties and counsel should contact Judge Bowman's court with respect to any SVP, SSOSA or criminal probation matters assigned to her.

- For all family law cases, follow the normal local rules for scheduling hearings. (Most types of temporary hearings are scheduled on the family law motions calendar.) Consult King County FLR 7, and/or contact the Family Law Facilitator's office or an attorney for more information.
- For all other types of civil cases (except SVP cases), contact Judge Spearman's bailiff at Spearman.court@kingcounty.gov to schedule a motion with oral argument. For motions without oral argument submit all working papers to Judge Spearman's court. Trial assignments will be posted as normal on the court's website (under the "Civil Standby Calendar").
- If the Court has requested trial readiness information such as completion of a Joint Statement of Evidence form, please comply with instructions and return to Judge Prochnau or Judge Spearman's mailbox.
- For SVP, SSOSA, or criminal probation cases contact Judge Bowman's court at Bowman.court@kingcounty.gov.

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